



VISION

One day, all children in the United States will attend schools that prepare them for the lives they choose.

Building on 16 years of experience in more than 120 public schools, Turnaround for Children translates the science of learning and development into tools and services for educators to help all students thrive, particularly children who have been impacted by adversity.

Turnaround will reach more than 4,000 educators this year, equipping them with the knowledge and skills to create positive learning environments for the children they serve approximately 50,000 students during the 2018-19 school year.

HOW TURNAROUND WORKS



Build

EDUCATOR KNOWLEDGE AND MINDSETS ABOUT **HOW STUDENTS DEVELOP** AND LEARN



CHANGE IN SCHOOL SYSTEMS, STRUCTURES **AND PRACTICES**



Impact

HEALTHY STUDENT DEVELOPMENT AND ACADEMIC GROWTH AND MASTERY



Knowledge Tools

Build adult knowledge and awareness *and* shift educator mindsets based on breakthrough insights from the science of learning and development.

EXAMPLE: Science of Learning and Development videos with Pamela Cantor, M.D.





Practice Tools

Enable educators to establish and enhance schoolwide systems, structures and adult practices that achieve whole child personalization of learning.

EXAMPLES: Turnaround Intervention Resource Manual, Mental Health Partnership Resource Manual



Assessment Tools

Provide actionable data about progress and areas for improvement in environment, skills and mindsets related to the science of learning and development.

EXAMPLE: Schoolwide Environmental Assessment Tool (SEAT)

Professional Learning

Turnaround's Professional Learning Series trainings — for **principals** and **school leaders, student support leads** and **leaders of districts and charter management organizations** — build knowledge about the science of learning and development and the impact of trauma. The goal is to equip leaders with strategies and practices to build effective systems that support healthy student development and academic achievement for all children.

School Partnerships

Turnaround supports **school leadership teams** to change practices and develop systems and structures that foster healthy student development and academic achievement. School partnerships are aimed at achieving measurable progress for students in physical and emotional safety, relationships, growth mindsets, self-regulatory capacities and sense of belonging — ultimately leading to academic growth and mastery.

Consulting for Systems Leaders

Turnaround works with **education systems leaders** to diagnose and improve policies and systems. Through a customizable service delivery model, Turnaround provides targeted support for **districts, states** and **school systems** to establish and improve key systems and frameworks, including a Multi-Tiered System of Supports and proactive disciplinary policies.

Thought Leadership

Turnaround shares insights with **educators, mental health professionals, policymakers, philanthropists, thought leaders** and **researchers** at conferences, convenings, panel presentations, webinars and workshops across the country, raising awareness and building knowledge about how students develop and learn and offering educators tools and strategies to help all children thrive, no matter their start in life or how much adversity they

WHERE WE WORK

Turnaround is partnering with 20 schools this year. In addition, Turnaround will provide professional development for more than 100 principals through collaborations with District of Columbia Public Schools (DCPS), KIPP DC, Summit Public Schools, Relay Graduate School of Education and the New York City Department of Education, and provide consulting and professional development for nine superintendents in D.C.



New York City

- 2 School Partnerships
- Professional Learning for 8 Principals



Northern California

- 3 School Partnerships
- Professional Learning for 3 Principals plus
- Network Leadership



Washington, D.C.

- 15 School Partnerships
- Professional Learning for 90+ Principals
- Consulting with9 Superintendents

IMPACT HIGHLIGHTS

Turnaround's DCPS partner schools saw **improved outcomes for students** between 2016-18 as demonstrated by PARCC scores and nationally-normed Panorama Education surveys.

More than **90%** of participants in Turnaround's professional development trainings — in all service delivery models — reported **high levels of satisfaction and learning.**

Turnaround helped drive meaningful improvements in partner school learning environments in 2017-18, as measured by SEAT and CLASS assessments, student behavior and attendance data, and students' perceptions of school safety and relationships with teachers.